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FEBRUARY 19, 1816.

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Read twice and committed to a Committee of the whole House  
Wednesday next.

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## A Bill

*For the relief of John Delafield.*

1     *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
2     *of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That*  
3     the proper accounting officers of the Treasury, be directed to  
4     settle the claim of John Delafield, for forty-three loan office  
5     certificates, of four hundred dollars each, nominal amount,  
6     issued the twenty-third day of December, one thousand se-  
7     ven hundred and seventy-seven, together with the interest  
8     due thereon, according to the principles and rules, established  
9     by the resolutions of Congress, relative to loans made for the  
10    United States.

1     SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That* the amount, when  
2     ascertained as aforesaid, shall be paid to the said John Dela-  
3     field, or his attorney, out of any moneys in the Treasury, not  
4     otherwise appropriated; or that he be permitted to subscribe  
5     the same to any loan, authorized by any law of the United  
6     States, and not yet filled, at the option of the government.